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DOUBLE MINUTE DNA

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action Office Action mailed on November 5, 2002, please consider the following remarks.

This response is accompanied by a Petition, as well as the appropriate fee, to obtain a one-month extension of the period for responding to the Office action, thereby moving the deadline for response from February 5, 2003 to March 5, 2003.